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**Karen K. Caldwell**  
District Judge

Date of Birth: 1956  
Education: Transylvania 1977 BA; Kentucky 1980 JD  
Began Service: November 13, 2001  
Appointed By: President George W. Bush

**Academic:** Adjunct Professor, Eastern Kentucky University (1984-1985); Adjunct Professor, Eastern Kentucky University (1987); Adjunct Professor, Transylvania University (2000)

**Corporate:** Jerrico, Inc. (1979-1980); Field Claims Representative, State Farm Fire and Casualty Company (1980-1987)

**Government:** Labor Cabinet, Commonwealth of Kentucky (1978-1979); Assistant United States Attorney, Eastern District of Kentucky, United States Attorney's Office, United States Department of Justice, Ronald Reagan Administration (1987-1990); United States Attorney, Eastern District of Kentucky, United States Attorney's Office, United States Department of Justice (1991-1993)

**Legal Practice:** Counsel, Robinson & McElwee P.L.L.C. (1993-1995); Partner, Breeding, Cunningham, Dance & Cress, LLP (1995-1998); Partner, Dinsmore & Shohl LLP (1998-2001)

**Current Memberships:** American Bar Association; Kentucky Bar Association

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**Danny C. Reeves**  
District Judge

Date of Birth: 1957  
Education: Eastern Kentucky 1978 BA; Salmon P Chase 1981 JD  
Began Service: December 31, 2001  
Appointed By: President George W. Bush

**Clerkships:** Law Clerk The Honorable Eugene E. Siler, Jr., United States District Court for the Eastern and Western Districts of Kentucky (1981-1983)

**Legal Practice:** Associate, Greenebaum Doll & McDonald PLLC (1983-1988); Partner, Greenebaum Doll & McDonald PLLC (1988-2001)

**Current Memberships:** Fayette County Bar Association; Federal Bar Association; Kentucky Bar Association

**Staff**

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**David L. Bunning**  
District Judge

Date of Birth: 1966  
Education: Kentucky 1988 BA, 1991 JD  
Began Service: February 21, 2002  
Appointed By: President George W. Bush

**Government:** Law Clerk, Eastern District of Kentucky, Office of the United States Attorney, United States Department of Justice (1991); Assistant United States Attorney, Eastern District of Kentucky, Office of the United States Attorney, United States Department of Justice (1991-2002)

**Current Memberships:** Kentucky Bar Association

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**Gregory F. Van Tatenhove**  
District Judge

Education: Asbury Col 1982; Kentucky JD  
Began Service: January 6, 2006  
Appointed By: President George W. Bush

**Clerkships:** Law Clerk, District Judge Eugene E. Siler, Jr., United States District Court for the Western District of Kentucky

**Government:** Chief of Staff and Legal Counsel (KY, District 2), Office of Representative Ron Lewis, United States House of Representatives; U.S. Attorney, Kentucky - Eastern District, Executive Office for United States Attorneys, United States Department of Justice (2001-2006)

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**Amul R. Thapar**  
District Judge

Date of Birth: 1969  
Education: Boston Col 1991 BS; Boalt Hall 1994 JD  
Began Service: January 4, 2008  
Appointed By: President George W. Bush

**Academic:** Adjunct Professor, College of Law, University of Cincinnati (1996-1997); Trial Advocacy Instructor, The Law Center, Georgetown University (1999-2000); Adjunct Professor, College of Law, University of Cincinnati (2002-2006)

**Clerkships:** Law Clerk, Chambers of District Judge S. Arthur Spiegel, United States District Court for the Southern District of Ohio (1994-1996); Law Clerk, Chambers of Circuit Judge Nathaniel R. Jones, United States Court of Appeals for the Sixth Circuit (1996-1997)

**Corporate:** General Counsel, Equalfooting.com (2000-2001)

**Government:** Assistant U.S. Attorney, District of Columbia District, Executive Office for United States Attorneys, United States Department of Justice (1999-2000); Assistant U.S. Attorney, Ohio - Southern District, Executive Office for United States Attorneys, United States Department of Justice (2002-2003); Assistant U.S. Attorney, Criminal Division, Ohio - Southern District, United States Department of Justice (2006); U.S. Attorney, Kentucky - Eastern District, Executive Office for United States Attorneys, United States Department of Justice (2006-2007)

**Legal Practice:** Associate, Williams & Connolly LLP (1997-1999); Associate, Cincinnati, OH Office, Squire, Sanders & Dempsey L.L.P. (2001-2002)

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Began Service: 2010  
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Term Expires: 2011

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**William O. Bertelsman**  
Senior Judge

Date of Birth: 1936  
Education: Xavier (OH) 1958 BA; Cincinnati 1961 JD  
Began Service: November 29, 1979  
Appointed By: President Jimmy Carter

**Academic:** Faculty, College of Law, University of Cincinnati (1965-1972); Faculty, Federal Judicial Center (1981-1982)

**Government:** City Attorney and Prosecutor, Office of the City Prosecutor, City of Covington, Kentucky (1962-1969)

**Legal Practice:** Partner, Bertelsman & Bertelsman (1962-1979)

**Military Service:** Ohio and Kentucky National Guard (1958-1963); United States Army (1963-1964)

**Nonprofit:** Faculty, ALI-ABA, The American Law Institute

**Chambers of Senior Judge William O. Bertelsman continued**

**Current Memberships:** American Bar Association; American Judicature Society; Judicial Conference of the United States; Kentucky Bar Association; Northern Kentucky Bar Association

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**G. Wix Unthank**

Senior Judge

Date of Birth: 1923  
Education: Miami 1950 JD  
Began Service: 1980  
Appointed By: President Jimmy Carter

**Government:** Assistant U.S. Attorney, Kentucky - Eastern District, Executive Office for United States Attorneys, United States Department of Justice, Lyndon B. Johnson Administration (1966-1969); Commonwealth Attorney, 26th District, Commonwealth of Kentucky (1970-1980)

**Judicial:** Judge, Kentucky District Court, 26th Judicial District (1950-1957)

**Legal Practice:** Private Practice (1957-1966)

**Military Service:** United States Army (1940-1945)

**Current Memberships:** American Bar Association; American Judicature Society; The Florida Bar; Kentucky Bar Association

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**Henry Rupert Wilhoit, Jr.**  
Senior Judge

Date of Birth: 1935  
Education: Kentucky 1960 LLB  
Began Service: 1981  
Appointed By: President Ronald Reagan

**Government:** City Attorney, Office of the City Attorney, City of Grayson, Kentucky (1962-1966); County Attorney, Office of the County Attorney, County of Carter, Kentucky (1966-1970)

**Legal Practice:** Partner, Wilhoit & Wilhoit (1960-1981)

**Current Memberships:** American College of Trial Lawyers; Federal Judges Association; Kentucky Bar Association

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